



June 2022

Elementary Families,

We are all looking forward to a relaxing summer with family and friends. We wish our departing families continued happiness as they transition on from CAC.

We look forward to welcoming returning and new families to CAC for our 2022-2023 school year commencing **Wednesday, August 17**.

This letter will be updated with details on August 7.

Tuesday, August 16

NEW FAMILY ORIENTATION

CLASS Assignment

Will be sent to you via Skyward, August 16 pm in preparation for the first day of school.

WELCOME VIDEO

Our teachers will post a welcome video via the Grade Level Blog, August 16 pm. It will include a warm welcome, introductions, and other important information for a successful start to the year.

Wednesday, August 17

8:00- 3:00 pm **PreK 3 & 4 Scheduled 15 minute family visits**

FIRST DAY FOR K-5 STUDENTS

- 7:55 am Classes commence
- 3:05 pm Dismissal for KG-Grade 5

Thursday, August 18

7:55 - 3:05 pm **First day for PreK students**

WHAT TO BRING TO SCHOOL

General school supplies are provided by CAC. Students do need to bring the following, with their **name clearly marked** on all items:

- All students must bring a full water bottle labeled with their name - we have refill stations around the division so our students stay hydrated.
- All students bring a HEALTHY snack and lunch. Parents will be able to order lunch online via their SPARE app. New Families will be sent the details of how to download

SPARE App, create their accounts using their own codes and how to recharge their balance in August.

- Physical Education (PE) - swimming is our first unit. PreK 3 - 5 Students will need a swimsuit, goggles, towel, clothes and footwear that is easy to take off and put on independently in a timely manner.
- Art - a smock/t-shirt with their name.
- Grade 4 & 5 students will be learning to play the soprano recorder during their music classes. Students are able to check out a soprano recorder from Ms. Wells or they can purchase their own personal soprano recorder. If you are interested in purchasing a soprano recorder, the Distingo music store on Road 9 in Maadi has soprano recorders.
- PreK - Grade 1 change of clothes.
- PE uniform & Library bag-available at the Spirit Store.
- House shirts, more information will be provided by our House Team Coordinator, Mr. Greene in September and House shirts are available from the Spirit Store.
- Library bags are available at the Spirit Store or students can bring a similar bag from home. These will be used to carry library books and they will be needed for the first week of school.
- A hat for sun protection.

DISMISSAL

- Parents can arrive on campus from **2:30 pm** to pick up their child from the ES lawn.
- Students dismiss at 3:05 pm.
- Bus students will depart at 3:05 for a 3:20 pm departure from Gate 2.
- Your student pick-up cards are issued when you receive your CAC IDs. You show this card when exiting campus with your child. **By the parent giving the card to the designated pick-up person you are authorizing that adult to pick up your child.** The card needs to be shown to security in order for your child to be dismissed with this adult, including nannies, drivers, older siblings. The card allows for pick-up at the front or back gate only, not campus access.
- **Students will not be released without this card.**

We invite you to enjoy our [End of Year Slideshow 21-22](#)

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Happy summer holidays to all,

Yours in partnership,

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